

# NEWS FROM THE HUNDRED LITTLE CORRESPONDENTS

## EASTERN CONNECTICUT AND WESTERN RHODE ISLAND

Who is Going and Coming—Incidents, Accidents and Building in Three Counties

### New London County

#### UNCASVILLE

**Pupils' Entertainment for Victrola.**—New Club Organized—Nine Members of K. of C. Ready for Third Degree.

The musical given for the benefit of the Uncasville school was well attended. Enough was cleared to finish paying for the victrola with a small amount that will be used to buy new records. After the entertainment, Miss Hooper, the principal of the school, assisted by the teachers served refreshments to those who donated their services for the entertainment.

A small fire at the Uncasville Manufacturing mill burned out one of the dryers.

George Dart has sold the wood on his land on Pool Hill to Mrs. Engle. The trees will be converted into logs and railroad ties.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hickey entertained Mrs. Nellie O'Connell and Mrs. Mary Haggerty, of Norwich Town, Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Hooper of Arlington, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Dart in Palmertown.

But one session of school was held in the various districts in town Friday afternoon, that the teachers might attend the teachers' meeting held in the Uncasville school building.

**Surprised on Birthday.**—

Friday evening the following friends of Henry St. Germaine met at his home in Pequot, making him an unexpected visit: Misses Lillian and Ida Morin, Miss Elizabeth McKenzie, Miss Dora Richards, Misses Alina and Nellie Brouillard, Miss Ella Rosenlund, Misses Elsie and Edna La Bounty, Miss Maudie Bennett, Miss Addie Miller, Misses Carrie and Ethel Wood, Miss Daisy Bergman, Misses Mary and Helen Lennihan, Walter Bergman, Miss Gertrude Bennett, Brouillard, Louis La Bounty, Herbert Rogers, Louis Peters, Edmond Killean, Andrew Rosenlund, Austin Mat-tewson, and Miss Gertrude Bennett. Mental music passed the time pleasantly. Miss St. Germaine served refreshments.

**Met to Organize Club.**—

Twelve of the women of the village met at the Methodist church parlors in response to the invitation given out to meet and organize the Thursday afternoon club. Those in attendance were members of the Ladies' Aid society and the Home Missionary, a short time was devoted to business pertaining to the new organization, after which Mrs. Tibbets gave a little talk on the plans for the new club, after which tea was served.

Mrs. Lavinia Fox was given a white the guest of her brother, F. E. Newton, of East Lyme.

Miss Estelle Miller spent the week-end with relatives in Providence.

John Killeen, who is employed in Mystic, spent the week-end with relatives in Palmertown.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Newton has returned to his home in Pequot, after spending a few days with relatives in Providence.

Orville C. Walden recently spent a few days in New York.

**Entertainment at Methodist Church.**—

An entertainment was held in the Methodist church Friday evening. The program opened with selections by the orchestra which had been recently organized and is composed of Mrs. Charles C. Tibbets, piano; C. C. Tibbets, violin; Dewey Perry and Fred Perry, cornets; Alan Parry and Hubert G. Dart, trombones; William Potter, clarinet; Robert Dodds, tuba. Other numbers following were reading with tabernacle drill by the following, Edith Austin, Lorene Favero, Mildred Austin, Annabelle Newton, Sarah Benson, Sarah Potham, Rena Ungers and Clara Ungers, reading by Mrs. Belle Curtis; orchestra, solo, Mrs. Thomas Spiers; trombone solo, Hubert Dart; piano solo, Miss Alice Romage; soprano solo, Miss Vera Bartlett; orchestra. After the entertainment cake, ice cream and candy was served.

Mrs. Charles Ramage, Miss May and Miss Fannie Smith, Lathrop Miller, Robert Dodds were in New London, Thursday evening to attend the Epworth League rally at the Federal Street Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Medus Gero, who have been spending a few days with friends in Farmville, have returned to their home in Pequot.

Orville C. Walden, Wallace Potter, Fred E. Barker, Howard Rogers, Robert C. Buckner, Hubert G. Dart, attended the banquet of the Moose lodge in New London.

**Nine Ready for Third Degree.**—

Pequot council, Knights of Columbus, held a meeting in Hickey's hall at which a class of seven candidates received the first and second degrees, making a class of nine ready for the third degree. After the degree work plans for ladies' auxiliary were discussed and the following committee appointed: Edward Curtin, Matthew J. Walsh, Joseph St. Germaine, John Cuddy, John McEwen, Henry Rheunne, and Joseph Hickey.

**Surprise Party.**—

Friends of Miss May Clark gave her a surprise party Saturday evening. Games, music and dancing made the evening pass pleasantly for those present, who were Miss Carrie Simpson, Miss Mary Anderson, Miss Lillian Garrett, Miss Clara Clark, Miss Katharine Bellack, Miss Laura Colombo, Elmer Garrett, William Dorr, Charles West, Louis Clark, Clifford Scoville, Dudley Neff, Music for dancing was furnished by Elmer Garrett. Refreshments were served by Miss Clara Clark.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Baptist church gave an entertainment-Friday evening which was well attended.

Miss Ruth Shaffer of Providence is spending a few weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. Charles Burgess in Palmertown.

**GARDNER LAKE**

Local Guests at Beebe Surprise Party—Outlook for Ice Crop Poor.

Mrs. G. H. Morgan and Miss Iola W. Morgan, spent Wednesday with Mrs. E. L. Lathrop.

Asa Walden has returned to his work in Oakdale mill, after being laid up with blood poisoning since September.

**Ornini Avers Injured.**—

Ornini Avers sprained his back recently and requiring the use of crutches to enable him to get about. Miss Ethel Chapman returned to her duties at Sage & Allen's, Hartford, after spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Ella Champlin. Several from this place attended the

### SALEM

**Talk on Christian Endeavor Day.**—Lawrence Beebe Home from Hospital—Social Affairs.

Rev. Wilson Stewart preached in the Congregational church Sunday morning. The C. E. meeting in the evening was led by the president, Dwight Marvin. A short talk on Christian Endeavor Day was given by the pastor.

G. J. Murray was in Bozrah last Friday.

**Lawrence Beebe Home.**—

Lawrence Beebe, who has been in a hospital in Andover, Mass., for several weeks, ill with grip and scarlet fever, is now at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Beebe.

Rox Rix of East Canaan and Austin Rix of Norfolk, spent a few days in town last week, guests of Mrs. Mary C. Chapman of Malton.

Lawrence Abel of Bozrah, called on friends in town, Sunday.

Rebe Robinson of Bozrah is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Sylvia Tibbets.

Mr. and Mrs. James Beebe and C. I. Beebe were Norwich visitors Saturday.

Sherwood Miner was a week-end guest at the home of his brother, Wellington Miner, at East Great Plains.

Nathaniel Clark was a Colchester visitor last Friday.

Archie Francis, who has been spending a few weeks at Hillside Farm, returned Monday to his home in New London.

Mr. and Mrs. James Beebe spent Sunday with Mrs. Beebe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lee of Grassy Hill.

Rev. Wilson Stewart spent the first of the week in Hartford and Stamford.

Miss Fluvia Miner of Millington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Miner.

**Given Surprise Party.**—

A surprise party was given Mrs. James Beebe at her home Tuesday evening. A large number of friends and neighbors were present and an enjoyable evening was spent. Games and music furnished entertainment. Cake and cocoa were served.

**Met at Miner Home.**—

A social gathering and meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Miner, Thursday evening.

**HANOVER**

**Endeavorers to Attend Norwich Meeting.**—Medical Temperance Considered by W. C. T. U.

Rev. George C. Pollock, of Norwich, supplied the pulpit in the Congregational church last Sunday morning. In the evening a special program was given for the Christian Endeavor meeting in observance of Christian Endeavor day. The meeting was led by the president, Walter Wibberley.

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### GALES FERRY

**Six Nephews Bearers at Funeral of Mrs. Sarah A. Colver.**—Meeting of Home Missionary Auxiliary—Deed for Country Club Site Given by Noyes B. Allen.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah A. Colver took place from her residence at the Navy Yard, Groton, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. James M. Potter, of the M. E. church of Gales Ferry conducted the services. Saved by Grace was beautifully sung by Miss Grace A. Chapman. There were beautiful flowers, the tribute of many relatives and friends. The bearers were nephews of Mrs. Colver, Charles H. Chapman of Stratford, Conn., William C. Chapman of M. E. Yernon, Y. Packer, Miss Flora B. Ingram, Miss Mildred Peckham, Miss Nancy Avery, Miss Fay Johnson, Miss Doris Peckham, Miss Hester Ward, Messrs. Archibald Lambert, Charles Tinker, Horace S. Williams, Clifford Denley, Leslie Haley, Dewey Schramm. Games and music were enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

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**ROAD SOCIETY**

Cases of Illness in Local Homes—Death of Miss Jane B. Noyes, on Her Seventy-third Birthday.

Orville, of this place are here sister's children.

Mrs. S. Frank Palmer has been ill with throat and ear troubles. Jesse Fisher is moving his household goods to Westerly. He is a son-in-law of Allan Maine and is a carpenter. W. Frank Palmer of Pendleton Hill called on friends here recently.

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### OLD MYSTIC

Churches Unite for Service—Villagers Want Electric Lighting—Variety Supper Served—B. Y. P. U. Meeting.

The Baptist and Methodist churches united in a service Sunday evening in the auditorium of the Methodist church at 7 o'clock. The message was given by Rev. Fred Coburn, pastor of the Baptist church, on the subject, "The Supreme Need of the Hour." Impressions received by Rev. Mr. Coburn from listening recently to an address on the subject by Rev. Courtland Meyer, pastor of Tremont Temple, Boston. At this service Miss Mildred Peckham was organist and Miss Helen Hull, violinist. Miss Charlotte Mearns, chorally rendered the solo, O My Redeemer.

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Miss Eliza Wheeler has been ill for several days, no session has been held at the Road school.

Miss Priscilla A. Billings has resumed teaching at the Wheeler school, a dinner at noon. The day being the birthday of Mrs. J. D. Avery, she was given a special birthday cake decorated with lighted candles was placed before her.

**Maine Farm Sold.**—

Elmer E. Maine has sold his farm on the New London and Providence turnpike to Stephen A. Lee, who will occupy it.

Miss Jesse Fish of Mystic spent Sunday with Mrs. H. E. Randall.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford W. Caswell and daughter of Mansfield were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Caswell.

Miss Ruby Parks visited Miss Julia Chester of Westerly over Sunday.

Miss Cecile Stedman is staying for the winter at the "Post Road" of Mr. Stedman, with his brother, John H. Stedman.

**Geer-Edwards.**—

Calvin O. Geer and Hazel E. Edwards, both of this town, were married Monday evening by Rev. Lucian Drury.

**Spoke at Norwich.**—

Miss Grace Sheffield, teacher of the primary school, was on the program at the teachers' institute in Norwich, Friday, her subject being "Story Telling, showing use of word pictures."

Mrs. Eckford G. Pendleton of Preston Plains visited her mother, Mrs. T. P. Norman, Thursday.

**Will Have Birthday Party.**—